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Sen. Van Woerkom congratulates Irwin as new Agriculture Director

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LANSING – Sen. Gerald Van Woerkom today announced his praise of the appointment of Mitch Irwin as the new director of the state's Department of Agriculture.

"I want to congratulate Mitch and wish him the best of luck in his new position," said VanWoerkom, chair of the Senate Agricultural, Forestry and Tourism Committee. "I look forward to working with him on future agricultural issues."

Irwin was named to the position today by the Michigan Commission of Agriculture. He currently serves as the Director of the Department of Management and Budget.

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